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IN RE APPLICATION OF

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: EXAMINER: PADGETT, MARIANNE L

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: GROUP ART UNIT: 1762

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FOR: GRAFTED POLYMER
ELECTROLYTE MEMBRANE, METHOD
OF PRODUCING A GRAFTED POLYMER
ELECTROLYTE MEMBRANE, AND
FUEL CELL COMPRISING THE SAME

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AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

In response to the Advisory Action dated October 22, 2003, which responded to Applicants' Amendment filed on October 3, 2003, which was filed in response to a final Office Action Summary dated July 7, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.